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## **REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

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1. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance.

The primary reason for the allowance of claims in this application is the recitation of a child seat attachment structure as well as a method of manufacturing such structure including a vehicle body panel of a contour of the vehicle cabin, a first sheet metal structural member fixedly coupled to the body panel to create a space there between and a cabin facing portion of the first sheet metal structural member forming a first bar portion of an integrated child seat tether anchor, which first bar portion may receive a child seat tether clip.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Joseph D. Pape whose telephone number is (703) 308-3426. The examiner can normally be reached on Tues.-Fri. (6:00-4:30).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Glenn Dayoan can be reached on (703) 308-3102. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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